

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

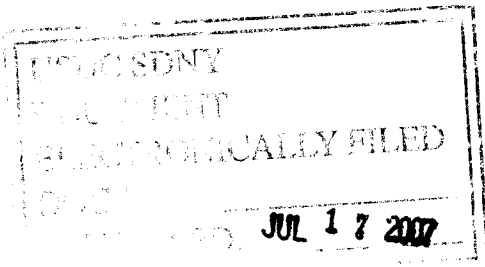
v.

HECTOR MANUEL BATISTA,
a/k/a "Charles,"

Defendant.

07 CRIM 714

The above-named defendant, who is accused of violating Title 21, United States Code, Section 846, being advised of the nature of the charges and of his rights, hereby waives, in open Court, prosecution by indictment and consents that the proceeding may be by Information instead of by Indictment.



Debbie Smith
HECTOR MANUEL BATISTA
Defendant **WITNESS**

Hector Batista
Witness
Hector Batista

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Date: New York, New York
July 17, 2007